

JUDICIAL STATISTICS

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621 Court House - Baltimore 2

STATE OF MARYLAND

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## STATE OF MARYLAND

## ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICE OF THE COURTS

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To the Honorable, The Chief Judge and the  
Associate Judges of the Court of Appeals of Maryland:

The Administrative Office of the Courts submits herewith a preliminary study of the operations of the Courts of Maryland for the period of September 1, 1955 to November 30, 1955. Also included are five-year compilations showing the number of designations (temporary assignments) accepted by judges and the number of cases (including juvenile) added and disposed of by the trial courts of the State. The five-year tables were prepared from statistical data obtained from the annual reports heretofore filed with the Court of Appeals of Maryland by the clerks of the trial courts. With the creation of the Administrative Office by Chapter 343 of the Acts of 1955, a new set of monthly statistical forms replaced the old forms which presented statistics on an annual basis.

The statistical tables presented here were prepared specifically for the Eleventh Annual Judicial Conference to be held in Baltimore, Maryland on January 19 and 20, 1956. However, inasmuch as we were limited to data for this three-month-period (this office did not begin full operation until September 1st), we realize that these statistics cannot possibly show a true picture of the work of the courts of this State and we do not present them with that intention. Their purpose is simply to demonstrate the type of information which we are receiving at this time and which may be used in our future annual reports to the Chief Judge of the Court of Appeals of Maryland. It is contemplated that the annual report of the Administrative Office will cover the period of September 1st to August 31st of each year and will be filed prior to the annual meeting of the Judicial Conference which is usually held in January. Though the duties of this office are many and varied, it has been apparent from the short time it has been in operation that the most time consuming task to be performed is the compilation and analysis of statistics.

This office will strive to achieve its objective: the improvement of the administration of justice in this State.

Respectfully submitted,

Frederick W. Invernizzi  
Director

January 19, 1956

SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 — AUGUST 31, 1955

LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 - (5 YEARS)  
IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
	1st Judicial Circuit	7825	3488	2231	2106	5893	2876	1460	1557
688 sq. mi. 27,815 pop. - 0.7%*	DORCHESTER	1652	773	544	335	1107	481	363	263
	1950 - 1951		174	115	59		149	94	44
	1951 - 1952		185	138	74		103	75	66
	1952 - 1953		216	135	93		169	86	78
	1953 - 1954		198	156	109		60	108	75
	1954 - 1955	NO REPORT	-	-	-		-	-	-
378 sq. mi. 20,745 pop. - 1.0%*	SOMERSET	1626	739	425	462	1102	581	243	278
	1950 - 1951		173	96	113		136	70	70
	1951 - 1952		193	85	135		159	54	94
	1952 - 1953		215	108	91		180	60	52
	1953 - 1954		158	136	123		106	59	62
	1954 - 1955	NO REPORT	-	-	-		-	-	-
395 sq. mi. 39,641 pop. 14.8%*	WICOMICO	2859	1175	906	778	2405	1088	654	663
	1950 - 1951		252	211	155		260	145	184
	1951 - 1952		275	197	187		250	180	155
	1952 - 1953		323	258	215		294	193	156
	1953 - 1954		325	240	221		284	136	168
	1954 - 1955	NO REPORT	-	-	-		-	-	-
589 sq. mi. 23,148 pop. 9.0%*	WORCESTER	1688	801	356	531	1279	726	200	353
	1950 - 1951		169	72	137		195	69	69
	1951 - 1952		235	76	159		196	50	118
	1952 - 1953		193	96	108		206	45	93
	1953 - 1954		184	112	127		129	36	73
	1954 - 1955	NO REPORT	-	-	-		-	-	-

\*Per cent increase or decrease in population, 1940-1950.

LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
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OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
	2nd Judicial Circuit	8430	4377	2349	1704	6014	2750	1768	1496
325 sq. mi.	CAROLINE	1266	696	341	229	1201	672	303	226
18,234 pop.	1950 - 1951		172	64	39		178	45	39
3.9%*	1951 - 1952		128	66	62		108	65	60
	1952 - 1953		93	67	29		107	60	30
	1953 - 1954		111	79	29		115	62	29
	1954 - 1955		162	65	70		164	71	68
386 sq. mi.	CECIL	2884	1499	1040	345	2060	930	812	318
33,356 pop.	1950 - 1951		273	199	58		245	172	66
26.3%*	1951 - 1952		297	202	69		216	156	51
	1952 - 1953		332	212	44		152	160	36
	1953 - 1954		409	203	79		168	166	56
	1954 - 1955		188	224	95		149	158	109
308 sq. mi.	KENT	1264	722	297	245	779	407	196	176
13,677 pop.	1950 - 1951		146	50	53		73	37	29
1.6%*	1951 - 1952		164	42	47		64	32	29
	1952 - 1953		129	78	44		61	34	25
	1953 - 1954		133	56	42		54	54	38
	1954 - 1955		150	71	59		155	39	55
408 sq. mi.	QUEEN ANNE'S	1340	611	310	419	1019	394	224	401
14,579 pop.	1950 - 1951		106	51	93		77	34	86
0.7%*	1951 - 1952		105	69	76		89	48	74
	1952 - 1953		115	59	79		60	47	77
	1953 - 1954		163	70	87		71	51	62
	1954 - 1955		122	61	84		97	44	75

\*Percent increase in population, 1940 to 1950

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LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 (5 YEARS)  
IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED			TERMINATED				
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'1	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'1
331 sq. mi. 19,428 pop. 3.4%*	TALBOT	1676	849	361	466	955	347	233	375
	1950 - 1951		180	77	106		76	43	99
	1951 - 1952		166	75	96		58	52	58
	1952 - 1953		145	72	117		59	41	63
	1953 - 1954		191	63	68		72	55	77
	1954 - 1955		167	74	79		82	42	78
	3rd Judicial Circuit	19,717	9,726	6,733	3,258	10,729	4,735	3,775	2,219
638 sq. mi. 270,273 pop. 73.4%*	BALTIMORE	17,144	8,779	5,524	2,841	9,167	4,354	2,968	1,845
	1950 - 1951		1,384	957	551		695	738	389
	1951 - 1952		1,481	895	574		761	688	432
	1952 - 1953		1,858	1,033	595		963	509	351
	1953 - 1954		2,001	1,286	562		909	470	332
	1954 - 1955		2,055	1,353	559		1026	563	341
475 sq. mi. 51,782 pop. 47.7%*	HARFORD	2,573	947	1,209	417	1,562	381	807	374
	1950 - 1951		155	207	53		73	132	37
	1951 - 1952		138	195	71		52	137	69
	1952 - 1953		186	243	81		71	119	70
	1953 - 1954		211	271	104		83	180	94
	1954 - 1955		257	293	108		102	209	104
	4th Judicial Circuit	12,042	4,925	4,711	2,406	9,413	4,060	3,110	2,243
428 sq. mi. 89,556 pop. 3.0%*	ALLEGANY	5,755	2,663	2,364	728	3,999	2,026	1,358	615
	1950 - 1951		591	459	118		531	286	108
	1951 - 1952		453	510	198		316	312	180
	1952 - 1953		565	488	147		473	262	131
	1953 - 1954		517	488	116		398	259	84
	1954 - 1955		537	419	149		308	239	112

\*Per cent increase in population, 1940 to 1950.

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FILED AND TERMINATED  
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OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
668 sq. mi. 21,259 pop. - 3.3%*	GARRETT	1184	584	384	216	1060	546	333	181
	1950 - 1951		104	76	43		91	67	41
	1951 - 1952		114	68	56		127	57	46
	1952 - 1953		112	76	26		133	67	17
	1953 - 1954		101	80	36		109	71	31
	1954 - 1955		93	84	55		86	71	46
471 sq. mi. 78,886 pop. 14.6%*	WASHINGTON	5103	1678	1963	1462	4354	1488	1419	1147
	1950 - 1951		382	396	288		339	310	292
	1951 - 1952		361	340	354		321	270	356
	1952 - 1953		303	401	273		321	299	271
	1953 - 1954		349	435	419		290	309	400
	1954 - 1955		283	391	128		217	231	128
5th Judicial Circuit		14,242	7117	4017	3108	10,229	4571	2879	2779
458 sq. mi. 117,392 pop. 71.7%*	ANNE ARUNDEL	9,249	4286	3022	1941	5,898	2015	2152	1731
	1950 - 1951		598	491	322		308	359	334
	1951 - 1952		691	524	430		290	377	336
	1952 - 1953		936	614	367		511	403	373
	1953 - 1954		958	613	373		387	522	354
	1954 - 1955		1103	750	149		519	491	334
456 sq. mi. 44,907 pop. 15.0%*	CARROLL	2,736	1789	593	354	2,404	1657	123	324
	1950 - 1951		283	127	60		277	93	56
	1951 - 1952		312	108	74		297	83	71
	1952 - 1953		373	96	49		347	82	51
	1953 - 1954		410	123	96		376	75	71
	1954 - 1955		411	139	75		360	90	75

\*Per cent increase or decrease in population, 1940 to 1950

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LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 (5 YEARS)  
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OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
251 sq. mi. 23,119 pop. 34.6%*	HOWARD	2257	1042	402	813	1927	899	304	724
	1950 - 1951		197	78	108		181	74	93
	1951 - 1952		175	63	196		164	64	163
	1952 - 1953		193	76	145		202	57	152
	1953 - 1954		225	72	159		208	57	153
	1954 - 1955		252	113	205		144	52	163
6th Judicial Circuit		16,400	7820	5892	2688	13,958	7450	4586	1922
670 sq. mi. 62,287 pop. 8.7%*	FREDERICK	3,992	1804	1366	822	3,010	1692	711	607
	1950 - 1951		351	262	128		344	117	72
	1951 - 1952		306	263	185		312	149	114
	1952 - 1953		365	290	183		290	161	138
	1953 - 1954		400	286	168		351	149	145
	1954 - 1955		382	265	158		395	135	138
506 sq. mi. 164,401 pop. 95.9%*	MONTGOMERY	12,408	6016	4526	1866	10,948	5758	3875	1315
	1950 - 1951		1135	820	299		867	679	201
	1951 - 1952		1182	838	360		1238	738	294
	1952 - 1953		1195	880	383		1148	806	251
	1953 - 1954		1217	969	351		1276	747	276
	1954 - 1955		1287	1019	473		1229	905	293
7th Judicial Circuit		20,386	7316	6978	6092	13,370	3768	5280	4322
244 sq. mi. 12,100 pop. 15.4%*	CALVERT	1,037	341	175	521	692	215	99	378
	1950 - 1951		73	39	156		54	25	97
	1951 - 1952		65	46	178		42	31	141
	1952 - 1953		82	42	103		46	22	81
	1953 - 1954		121	48	84		73	21	59
	1954 - 1955	NO REPORT	-	-	-		-	-	-

\* Per cent increase in population, 1940 to 1950

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LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 ( 5 YEARS )  
IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
502 sq. mi. 23,415 pop. 32.9%*	CHARLES	1794	789	406	599	1404	641	245	518
		1950 - 1951	105	80	113		75	33	90
		1951 - 1952	170	73	104		144	47	85
		1952 - 1953	178	76	139		168	66	124
		1953 - 1954	135	76	117		95	55	88
		1954 - 1955	201	101	126		159	44	131
496 sq. mi. 194,182 pop. 117.0%*	PRINCE GEORGE'S	15,841	5420	5830	4591	10,289	2520	4590	3179
		1950 - 1951	1363	1029	888		617	1013	485
		1951 - 1952	771	1128	513		344	959	386
		1952 - 1953	1067	1230	1358		412	989	927
		1953 - 1954	1181	1192	892		718	873	674
		1954 - 1955	1038	1251	940		429	756	707
420 sq. mi. 29,111 pop. 99.0%*	ST. MARY'S	1714	766	567	381	985	392	346	247
		1950 - 1951	121	105	60		58	69	46
		1951 - 1952	74	105	58		73	69	30
		1952 - 1953	182	94	78		112	65	37
		1953 - 1954	189	106	135		65	59	105
		1954 - 1955	200	157	50		84	84	29
	8th Judicial Circuit	97,838	41208	32,400	24,230	75,118	26,929	24,187	24,002
86 sq. mi. 949,708 pop. 10.5%* (Baltimore City)	SUPERIOR COURT	21,785	21,785			16,182	16,182		
		1950 - 1951	4,694				3,433		
		1951 - 1952	3,572				3,172		
		1952 - 1953	4,984				2,983		
		1953 - 1954	4,071				2,890		
		1954 - 1955	4,464				3,704		

\* Per cent increase in population, 1940 to 1950

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LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 (5 YEARS)  
IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

		FILED				TERMINATED			
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
	COMMON PLEAS	3,775	3,775			3,699	3,699		
	1950 - 1951		744				840		
	1951 - 1952		773				742		
	1952 - 1953		680				669		
	1953 - 1954		958				862		
	1954 - 1955		620				586		
	BALTIMORE CITY COURT	15,648	15,648			7,048	7,048		
	1950 - 1951		2,326				1,556		
	1951 - 1952		3,111				1,442		
	1952 - 1953		3,517				1,719		
	1953 - 1954		3,118				1,389		
	1954 - 1955		3,576				942		
	* CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE	24,230			24,230	24,002			24,002
	1950 - 1951	NO REPORT			-				-
	1951 - 1952				6,084				5,859
	1952 - 1953				5,843				5,702
	1953 - 1954				6,229				6,214
	1954 - 1955				6,074				6,227

\* The above Criminal Court figures do not include Domestic Relations Informations;  
The latter were as follows:

		FILED	TERMINATED
1950	NO REPORT		-
1951	2107		1675
1952	1976		1634
1953	1994		1808
1954	1932		1856

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LAW, EQUITY AND CRIMINAL CASES  
FILED AND TERMINATED  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 THROUGH AUGUST 31, 1955 ( 5 YEARS )  
IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	CIRCUIT COURT	FILED			TERMINATED				
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
	<u>1950 - 1951</u>			3,200				2,561	
	<u>1951 - 1952</u>			3,274				2,297	
	<u>1952 - 1953</u>			3,402				2,458	
	<u>1953 - 1954</u>			2,983				2,200	
	<u>1954 - 1955</u>			2,991				2,187	
	CIRCUIT COURT No. 2	FILED			TERMINATED				
		Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l	Totals	Law	Equity	Crim'l
	<u>1950 - 1951</u>			2,383				2,151	
	<u>1951 - 1952</u>			2,826				2,007	
	<u>1952 - 1953</u>			3,338				2,469	
	<u>1953 - 1954</u>			3,717				2,643	
	<u>1954 - 1955</u>			4,286				3,214	

## JUVENILE CASES

FILED AND TERMINATEDSEPTEMBER 1, 1950 to AUGUST 31, 1955( 5 YEARS )IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITSOF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	FILED	TERMINATED
	Juvenile	Juvenile
Total - First Circuit	561	513
Total - Dorchester	165	159
1950 - 1951	33	32
1951 - 1952	33	33
1952 - 1953	47	45
1953 - 1954	52	49
1954 - 1955	No Report	No Report
Total - Somerset	82	66
1950 - 1951	28	24
1951 - 1952	17	14
1952 - 1953	25	18
1953 - 1954	12	10
1954 - 1955	No Report	No Report
Total - Wicomico	208	200
1950 - 1951	54	49
1951 - 1952	45	45
1952 - 1953	59	56
1953 - 1954	50	50
1954 - 1955	No Report	No Report
Total - Worcester	106	88
1950 - 1951	22	22
1951 - 1952	24	24
1952 - 1953	40	27
1953 - 1954	20	15
1954 - 1955	No Report	No Report

JUVENILE CASESFILED AND TERMINATEDSEPTEMBER 1, 1950 to AUGUST 31, 1955

( 5 YEARS )

IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITSOF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	FILED	TERMINATED
	Juvenile	Juvenile
<b>Total - Second Circuit</b>	<b>1692</b>	<b>1162</b>
<b>Total - Caroline</b>	<b>279</b>	<b>216</b>
<u>1950 - 1951</u>	74	41
<u>1951 - 1952</u>	43	39
<u>1952 - 1953</u>	39	51
<u>1953 - 1954</u>	53	48
<u>1954 - 1955</u>	70	37
<b>Total - Cecil</b>	<b>345</b>	<b>298</b>
<u>1950 - 1951</u>	60	55
<u>1951 - 1952</u>	58	45
<u>1952 - 1953</u>	82	80
<u>1953 - 1954</u>	79	55
<u>1954 - 1955</u>	66	63
<b>Total - Kent</b>	<b>247</b>	<b>161</b>
<u>1950 - 1951</u>	55	44
<u>1951 - 1952</u>	44	16
<u>1952 - 1953</u>	35	33
<u>1953 - 1954</u>	67	57
<u>1954 - 1955</u>	46	41
<b>Total - Queen Anne's</b>	<b>480</b>	<b>268</b>
<u>1950 - 1951</u>	80	48
<u>1951 - 1952</u>	90	41
<u>1952 - 1953</u>	118	83
<u>1953 - 1954</u>	91	53
<u>1954 - 1955</u>	101	43
<b>Total - Talbot</b>	<b>341</b>	<b>219</b>
<u>1950 - 1951</u>	47	34
<u>1951 - 1952</u>	57	52
<u>1952 - 1953</u>	101	32
<u>1953 - 1954</u>	74	40
<u>1954 - 1955</u>	62	61

## JUVENILE CASES

FILED AND TERMINATED

and  
Fourth Judicial CircuitSEPTEMBER 1, 1950 to AUGUST 31, 1955

( 5 YEARS )

IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS

OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	FILED	TERMINATED
	Juvenile	Juvenile
Total - Third Circuit	5049	4362
Total - Baltimore	4719	4035
1950 - 1951	731	747
1951 - 1952	834	834
1952 - 1953	985	838
1953 - 1954	976	820
1954 - 1955	1193	796
Total - Harford	330	327
1950 - 1951	25	25
1951 - 1952	34	34
1952 - 1953	53	51
1953 - 1954	93	92
1954 - 1955	125	125
Total - Fourth Circuit	85	70
Total - *Allegany	57	43
1950 - 1951	19	19
1951 - 1952	9	9
1952 - 1953	10	9
1953 - 1954	8	3
1954 - 1955	11	3
Total - **Garrett	5	5
1950 - 1951	0	0
1951 - 1952	0	0
1952 - 1953	1	1
1953 - 1954	1	1
1954 - 1955	3	3
Total - *Washington	23	22
1950 - 1951	1	1
1951 - 1952	1	1
1952 - 1953	2	2
1953 - 1954	13	13
1954 - 1955	6	6

\*The Circuit Courts for Allegany and Washington Counties do not have juvenile jurisdiction. The above figures represent appeals from Trial Magistrates in juvenile cases.

\*\*The Circuit Court for Garrett County has juvenile jurisdiction. However, the jurisdiction of the Trial Magistrates is concurrent therewith.

## JUVENILE CASES

and  
Sixth Judicial CircuitFILED AND TERMINATED

SEPTEMBER 1, 1950 to AUGUST 31, 1955  
 ( 5 YEARS )

IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS  
OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	FILED	TERMINATED
	Juvenile	Juvenile
Total - Fifth Circuit	3314	3266
Total - Anne Arundel	2606	2606
1950 - 1951	293	293
1951 - 1952	267	267
1952 - 1953	356	356
1953 - 1954	1332	1332
1954 - 1955	358	358
Total - Carroll	369	368
1950 - 1951	68	68
1951 - 1952	71	71
1952 - 1953	76	75
1953 - 1954	84	84
1954 - 1955	70	70
Total - Howard	339	292
1950 - 1951	60	63
1951 - 1952	83	84
1952 - 1953	50	50
1953 - 1954	81	30
1954 - 1955	65	65
Total - Sixth Circuit	149	141
Total - Frederick	149	141
1950 - 1951	28	24
1951 - 1952	22	23
1952 - 1953	40	40
1953 - 1954	22	19
1954 - 1955	37	35
Total - *Montgomery	0	0
1950 - 1951	*0	0
1951 - 1952	0	0
1952 - 1953	0	0
1953 - 1954	0	0
1954 - 1955	0	0

\*The Circuit Court for Montgomery County does not have jurisdiction in juvenile cases.

FILED AND TERMINATEDSEPTEMBER 1, 1950 to AUGUST 31, 1955

( 5 YEARS )

IN THE EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITSOF THE STATE OF MARYLAND

	FILED	TERMINATED
	Juvenile	Juvenile
Total - Seventh Circuit	521	369
Total - Calvert	77	35
1950 - 1951	26	13
1951 - 1952	16	6
1952 - 1953	21	8
1953 - 1954	14	8
1954 - 1955	No Report	No Report
Total - Charles	230	171
1950 - 1951	29	21
1951 - 1952	36	29
1952 - 1953	56	45
1953 - 1954	59	41
1954 - 1955	50	35
Total - *Prince George's	82	69
1950 - 1951	0	0
1951 - 1952	0	0
1952 - 1953	37*	25
1953 - 1954	32	32
1954 - 1955	13	12
Total - St. Mary's	132	94
1950 - 1951	29	19
1951 - 1952	16	12
1952 - 1953	26	20
1953 - 1954	39	30
1954 - 1955	22	13
Total - Eighth Circuit	20,685	18,999
Total - Circuit Court Div. for Juv. Causes	20,685	18,999
1950 - 1951	3,608	3,478
1951 - 1952	3,681	3,561
1952 - 1953	4,495	4,140
1953 - 1954	4,421	3,807
1954 - 1955	4,480	4,013

\*The Circuit Court for Prince George's County does not have juvenile jurisdiction. Figures above are apparently appeals in juvenile causes from Trial Magistrates.

\*\*The above figures were taken from the annual reports of the Circuit Court of Baltimore City (Division for Juvenile Causes).

LIST OF DESIGNATIONS ACCEPTED  
BY JUDGES 1950-1955 (5 YEARS)  
(TEMPORARY ASSIGNMENT OF JUDGES)  
IN THE STATE OF MARYLAND

JUDGES	Judicial Circuit Designations	Period of Designation	JUDGES	Judicial Circuit Designations	Period of Designation
Boylan, J. E. (CJ)	Eighth Baltimore Co. (3rd)	9/27/54 - 10/30/54 6/27/55 - 7/1/55			
Byrnes, J. R.	Court of Appeals ....	6/19/54 - (1 case)			
Carter, J. D.	First..... Eighth..... Montgomery Co. (6th)	Week of 6/9/52 4/19/54 - 5/1/54 7/6/54 - 7/31/54	Kintner, F. J.	Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Court of Appeals ....	4/5/54 - 4/17/54 5/17/54 - 6/19/54 7/19/54 - 8/28/54 10/1/54 - 11/30/54 4/1/55 - 5/31/55 6/1/55 - 6/30/55 6/22/55 - (3 cases) 8/8/55 - 8/29/55 10/10/55 - (1 case)
Digges, D.	Eighth.....	5/31/55 - 6/18/55			
Clark, J.	Eighth.....	6/7/54 - 6/10/54	Mish, J.D.	Eighth.....	11/9/54 - 11/20/54
Duer, E. Mc.	Seventh..... Eighth.....	12/6/54 - 12/11/54 1/10/55 - 1/29/55	Niles, E. H. (CJ)	Court of Appeals.....	10/10/55 - (1 case)
Fraley, N. C.	Eighth..... Eighth.....	5/23/55 - 5/28/55 6/13/55 - 6/17/55	Prescott, S. (CJ)	Court of Appeals .....	10/28/55 - (1 case)
Gray, J. B. Jr. (CJ)	Court of Appeals Eighth..... Eighth .....	May 1951 (3 cases) 5/24/54 - 6/5/54 5/16/55 - 5/21/55	Schnauffer, P.M.	Fourth.....	9/25/50 - 11/30/50
Hammond, H.	Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd) Baltimore Co. (3rd)	11/23/53 - 1/10/54 4/7/54 - 6/24/54 7/15/54 - 8/15/54 9/20/54 - 10/4/54 3/9/55 - 4/30/55 7/13/55 - 8/15/55	Warnken, S. R.	Court of Appeals.....	10/28/55 - (1 case)
Harris, M. C.	Eighth .....	5/16/55 - 5/21/55			
Henderson, G. (CJ)	Eighth .....	5/9/55 - 5/14/55			
Horney, W.R. (CJ)	Eighth .....	3/22/54 - 4/2/54			
	Court of Appeals.....	6/19/54 - (1 case)			
	Eighth.....	2/28/55 - 3/18/55			
<u>Number of Designations</u>					
1950 - 1					
1952 - 2					
1953 - 1					
1954 - 17					
1955 - 21					

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## APPEALS TO THE COURT OF APPEALS OF MARYLAND

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OCTOBER TERM 1955  
(Period Ending December 31, 1955)

<u>STATUS OF THE CALENDAR</u>				<u>COURTS BELOW</u>
* Number of Appeals Docketed As of December 31, 1955				160
Disposition				
Dismissed prior to argument.....				20
Argued or Submitted and Opinions Filed.....				<u>40</u> 60
Appeals Pending December 31, 1955 .....				100
Argued or Submitted but Opinions Not Filed as of December 31, 1955.....				24
* Does not include Applications for leave to appeal in Habeas Corpus Cases. As of December 31, 1955, 23 filed; 2 granted; 8 denied (opinions); 14 pending.				
<u>* OPINIONS FILED</u>				<u>OUTCOME OF APPEALS DECIDED</u>
<u>Majority</u> <u>Concurring</u> <u>Dissenting</u> <u>Total</u>				
Brune, C. J.	5	0	0	5
Delaplaine, J.	9	0	0	9
Collins, J.	7	0	0	7
Henderson, J.	8	0	1	9
Hammond, J.	7	0	0	7
Kintner, J. **	1	0	0	1
Warnken, J. **	1	0	0	1
Per Curiam	2	0	0	2
	<u>40</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>41</u>
* Does not include Habeas Corpus Opinions				
** Specially assigned.				
				TOTAL - 160
				TOTAL - 40

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(Period Ending December 31, 1955)

AVERAGE TIME INTERVALS FOR DISPOSITION OF APPEALS DECIDED

<u>Date Institution of Action to Decision</u>	<u>Date Judgment Below to Decision</u>	<u>Date Docketed in Court of Appeals to Decision</u>	<u>Date Argument to Decision</u>
21.1 mos.	8.0 mos.	5.0 mos.	1.0 mos.

TYPES OF CASES REVIEWED

Condemnation .....	1	Mechanics Lien .....	2
Contract .....	7	Municipal Law .....	1
Criminal .....	5	Negligence .....	8
Declaratory Judgment.....	2	Public Officer .....	1
Foreclosure.....	2	Taxation.....	1
Injunction .....	3	Workmen's Compensation ....	4
Divorce & Alimony .....	2	Zoning .....	<u>1</u>
		TOTAL CASES .....	40

**LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES**  
**FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING**  
**IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND**  
**FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955**

**FIRST CIRCUIT**  
 Dorchester County  
 Somerset County  
 Wicomico County  
 Worcester County

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	PENDING Aug. 31 1955			FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING END OF NOVEMBER		
	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals
<b>TOTAL FIRST CIRCUIT</b>				<b>561</b>	<b>410</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>332</b>	<b>241</b>	<b>91</b>
Law				233	217	16	123	117	6	110	100	10
* Equity				115	115	0	19	19	0	96	96	0
Criminal				213	78	135	87	43	44	126	45	81
<b>DORCHESTER COUNTY</b>				<b>131</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>74</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>36</b>
Law				31	28	3	19	19	0	12	9	3
* Equity				27	27	0	9	9	0	18	18	0
Criminal				73	18	55	29	7	22	44	11	33
<b>SOMERSET COUNTY</b>				<b>89</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>5</b>
Law				45	37	8	28	22	6	17	15	2
* Equity				16	16	0	3	3	0	13	13	0
Criminal				28	9	19	19	13	6	9	6	3
<b>WICOMICO COUNTY</b>				<b>196</b>	<b>144</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>130</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>38</b>
Law				71	67	4	37	37	0	34	30	4
* Equity				54	54	0	6	6	0	48	48	0
Criminal				71	23	48	23	9	14	48	14	34
<b>WORCESTER COUNTY</b>				<b>145</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>12</b>
Law				86	85	1	39	39	0	47	46	1
* Equity				18	18	0	1	1	0	17	17	0
Criminal				41	28	13	16	14	2	25	14	11

\* September Term (September 5, 1955 to November 7, 1955)

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND  
FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

FIRST CIRCUIT  
 Dorchester County  
 Somerset County  
 Wicomico County  
 Worcester County

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LAW - FIRST CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	EQUITY* - FIRST CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL - FIRST CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	217	100.0	Kind of Case	115	100.0	Kind of Case	78	100.0
Motor Tort	23	10.6	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	60	52.2	Assault & Assault and Robbery	4	5.1
Other Tort	3	1.3	Adoption	8	7.0	Auto Theft	2	2.6
Confessed Judgment	73	33.6	Foreclosure	15	13.0	Bastardy	19	24.3
Other Contract	54	24.8	Other	32	27.8	Burglary	10	12.9
Condemnation	20	9.2				Carnal Knowledge	0	
Habeas Corpus	3	1.3				Deadly Weapon	1	1.3
Other Law	41	18.4				Desertion	0	
						Forgery & False Pretenses	4	5.1
						Larceny, 100 & Over	12	15.3
						Larceny, under 100	2	2.6
						Liquor Law Violations	0	
						Lottery	0	
						Manslaughter	2	2.6
						Murder	7	9.0
						Non-Support	0	
						Rape	0	
						Other Criminal	15	19.2

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**LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES**  
**FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING**  
**IN THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND**  
**FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955**

**SECOND CIRCUIT**  
 Caroline County  
 Cecil County  
 Kent County  
 Queen Anne's  
 Talbot

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	PENDING AUGUST 31, 1955			FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING END OF NOVEMBER		
	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals									
<b>TOTAL SECOND CIRCUIT</b>				453	398	55	267	227	40	186	170	16
Law				204	194	10	126	121	5	78	73	5
* Equity				92	92	0	11	11	0	81	81	0
Criminal				157	112	45	130	95	35	27	16	11
CAROLINE COUNTY				60	52	8	29	23	6	31	29	2
Law				34	33	1	22	22	0	12	11	1
* Equity				15	15	0	0	0	0	15	15	0
Criminal				11	4	7	7	1	6	4	3	1
CECIL COUNTY				125	113	12	60	56	4	65	57	8
Law				64	58	6	38	35	3	26	23	3
* Equity				33	33	0	10	10	0	23	23	0
Criminal				28	22	6	12	11	1	16	11	5
KENT COUNTY				80	71	9	41	33	8	39	38	1
Law				35	33	2	18	16	2	17	17	0
* Equity				20	20	0	1	1	0	19	19	0
Criminal				25	18	7	22	16	6	3	2	1
QUEEN ANNE'S COUNTY				108	90	18	83	66	17	25	23	2
Law				48	47	1	31	31	0	17	16	1
* Equity				7	7	0	0	0	0	7	7	0
Criminal				53	36	17	52	35	17	1	0	1
TALBOT COUNTY				80	72	8	54	49	5	26	23	3
Law				23	23	0	17	17	0	6	6	0
* Equity				17	17	0	0	0	0	17	17	0
Criminal				40	32	8	37	32	5	3	0	3

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PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE SECND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

SECND CIRCUIT  
Caroline County  
Cecil County  
Kent County  
Queen Anne County  
Talbot County

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LAW - SECOND CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	* EQUITY- SECOND CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL - SECOND CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	194	100.0	Kind of Case	92	100.0	Kind of Case	112	100.0
Motor Tort	17	8.8	Adoption	7	7.6	Assault & Assault & Robbery	8	7.1
Other Tort	4	2.1	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	60	65.4	Auto Theft	0	
Confessed Judgments	102	52.5	Foreclosure	11	11.9	Bastardy	4	3.6
Other Contract	41	21.1	Other Equity	14	15.1	Burglary	8	7.1
Condemnation	3	1.6				Carnal Knowledge	0	
Habeas Corpus	2	1.0				Deadly Weapon	1	.9
Other Law	25	12.9				Desertion	0	
						Forgery & False Pretenses	21	18.8
						Larceny \$100 and over	5	4.5
						Larceny under \$100	22	19.6
						Liquor Law Violations	9	8.0
						Lottery	5	4.5
						Manslaughter	1	.9
						Murder	0	
						Non-Support	3	2.7
						Rape	0	
						Other Criminal	25	22.3

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LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES  
FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING

IN THE THIRD AND FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUITS OF MARYLAND  
FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

THIRD CIRCUIT  
Baltimore County  
Harford County

FOURTH CIRCUIT  
Allegany County  
Garrett County  
Washington County

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	PENDING AUGUST 31, 1955			FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING END OF NOVEMBER		
	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals									
<b>TOTAL - THIRD CIRCUIT</b>				927	827	100	219	211	8	708	616	92
Law				428	377	51	120	119	1	308	258	50
* Equity				333	333	0	41	41	0	292	292	0
Criminal				166	117	49	58	51	7	108	66	42
<b>BALTIMORE COUNTY</b>				720	633	87	144	141	3	576	492	84
Law				331	282	49	74	73	1	257	209	48
* Equity				264	264	0	30	30	0	234	234	0
Criminal				125	87	38	40	38	2	85	49	36
<b>HARFORD COUNTY</b>				207	194	13	75	70	5	132	124	8
Law				97	95	2	46	46	0	51	49	2
* Equity				69	69	0	11	11	0	58	58	0
Criminal				41	30	11	18	13	5	23	17	6
<b>TOTAL - FOURTH CIRCUIT</b>				527	431	96	273	215	58	254	216	38
Law				258	254	4	131	131	0	127	123	4
* Equity				91	91	0	20	20	0	71	71	0
Criminal				178	86	92	122	64	58	56	22	34
<b>ALLEGANY COUNTY</b>				160	135	25	94	90	4	66	45	21
Law				119	117	2	78	78	0	41	39	2
* Equity				0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Criminal				41	18	23	16	12	4	25	6	19
<b>GARRETT COUNTY</b>				90	72	18	36	31	5	54	41	13
Law				31	29	2	11	11	0	20	18	2
* Equity				20	20	0	5	5	0	15	15	0
Criminal				39	23	16	20	15	5	19	8	11
<b>WASHINGTON COUNTY</b>				277	224	53	143	94	49	134	130	4
Law				108	108	0	42	42	0	66	66	0
* Equity				71	71	0	15	15	0	56	56	0
Criminal				98	45	53	86	37	49	12	8	4

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PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

THIRD CIRCUIT

Baltimore County  
Harford County

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LAW - THIRD CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	*EQUITY - THIRD CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL - THIRD CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	377	100.0	Kind of Case	333	100.0	Kind of Case	117	100.0
Motor Tort	86	23.0	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	163	48.9	Assault & Assault & Robbery	22	18.8
Other Tort	20	5.3	Adoption	49	14.7	Auto Theft	0	
Confessed Judgment	63	16.7	Foreclosure	43	13.0	Bastardy	7	6.0
Other Contract	99	26.1	Other	78	23.4	Burglary	0	
Condemnation	22	5.8				Carnal Knowledge	1	.8
Habeas Corpus	3	.8				Deadly Weapon	5	4.7
Other Law	84	22.3				Desertion	0	
						Forgery & False Pretenses	11	9.3
						Larceny, \$100 and over	14	11.9
						Larceny, Under \$100	3	2.5
						Liquor Law Violations	0	
						Lottery	2	1.7
						Manslaughter	1	.8
						Murder	0	
						Non-Support	17	14.5
						Rape	14	11.9
						Other Criminal	20	17.1

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PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND  
FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

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FOURTH CIRCUIT  
 Allegany County  
 Garrett County  
 Washington County

LAW - FOURTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	*EQUITY - FOURTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL - FOURTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	254	100.0	Kind of Case	91	100.0	Kind of Case	86	100.0
Motor Tort	80	31.5	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	54	59.4	Assault & Assault & Robbery	9	10.5
Other Tort	29	10.5	Adoption	10	11.0	Auto Theft	1	1.1
Confessed Judgment	58	23.0	Foreclosure	5	5.5	Bastardy	15	17.4
Other Contract	5	2.0	Other	22	24.1	Burglary	8	9.5
Condemnation	9	4.0				Carnal Knowledge	3	3.4
Habeas Corpus	5	2.0				Deadly Weapon	0	
Other Law	68	27.0				Desertion	5	5.8
						Forgery & False Pretenses	10	11.6
						Larceny \$100 & over	5	5.8
						Larceny, Under \$100	5	5.8
						Liquor Law Violations	2	2.3
						Lottery	3	3.4
						Manslaughter	0	
						Murder	0	
						Non-Support	2	2.3
						Rape	8	9.5
						Other Criminal	10	11.6

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LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES  
FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING

IN THE FIFTH AND SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUITS OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

FIFTH CIRCUIT  
Anne Arundel County  
Carroll County  
Howard County

SIXTH CIRCUIT  
Frederick County  
Montgomery County

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	PENDING AUGUST 31, 1955			FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING END OF NOVEMBER		
	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals									
<b>TOTAL - FIFTH CIRCUIT</b>				703	672	31	245	235	10	458	437	21
Law				361	354	7	152	152	0	209	202	7
* Equity				190	190	0	25	25	0	165	165	0
Criminal				152	128	24	68	58	10	84	70	14
ANNE ARUNDEL COUNTY				472	460	12	143	138	5	329	322	7
Law				215	213	2	78	78	0	137	135	2
* Equity				165	165	0	15	15	0	150	150	0
Criminal				92	82	10	50	45	5	42	37	5
CARROLL COUNTY				130	124	6	61	61	0	69	63	6
Law				95	92	3	52	52	0	43	40	3
* Equity				13	13	0	8	8	0	5	5	0
Criminal				22	19	3	1	1	0	21	18	3
HOWARD COUNTY				101	88	13	41	36	5	60	52	8
Law				51	49	2	22	22	0	29	27	2
* Equity				12	12	0	2	2	0	10	10	0
Criminal				38	27	11	17	12	5	21	15	6
<b>TOTAL - SIXTH CIRCUIT</b>				877	780	97	258	207	51	619	558	61
Law				446	429	17	143	138	5	303	291	12
* Equity				227	227	0	37	37	0	190	190	0
Criminal				204	124	80	78	32	46	126	77	49
FREDERICK COUNTY				213	190	23	102	73	29	111	103	8
Law				101	100	1	44	44	0	57	56	1
* Equity				53	53	0	14	14	0	39	39	0
Criminal				59	37	22	44	15	29	15	8	7
MONTGOMERY COUNTY				664	590	74	156	134	22	508	455	53
Law				345	329	16	99	94	5	246	235	11
* Equity				174	174	0	23	23	0	151	151	0
Criminal				145	87	58	34	17	17	111	69	42

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PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND  
FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

FIFTH CIRCUIT  
Anne Arundel County  
Carroll County  
Howard County

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LAW - FIFTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	*EQUITY- FIFTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL- FIFTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	354	100.0	Kind of Case	190	100.0	Kind of Case	128	100.0
Motor Tort	31	8.8	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	73	38.4	Assault & Assault & Robbery	7	5.5
Other Tort	40	11.3	Adoption	22	11.6	Auto Theft	5	3.9
Confessed Judgment	111	31.3	Foreclosure	35	18.4	Bastardy	27	21.0
Other Contract	121	34.1	Other	60	31.6	Burglary	16	12.4
Condemnation	24	6.8				Carnal Knowledge	2	1.6
Habeas Corpus	2	.6				Deadly Weapon	1	.8
Other Law	25	7.1				Desertion	0	
						Forgery & False Pretenses	13	10.2
						Larceny, \$100 and over	3	2.4
						Larceny, Under \$100	2	1.6
						Liquor Law Violations	6	4.7
						Lottery	3	2.3
						Manslaughter	1	.8
						Murder	8	6.2
						Non-Support	7	5.5
						Rape	12	9.4
						Other Criminal	15	11.7

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## PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED

IN THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLANDFOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955SIXTH CIRCUITFrederick County  
Montgomery County

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LAW - SIXTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	*EQUITY- SIXTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL- SIXTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	429	100.0	Kind of Case	227	100.0	Kind of Case	123	100.0
Motor Tort	67	15.6	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	125	55.1	Assault & Assault & Robbery	6	4.9
Other Tort	25	5.8	Adoption	26	11.4	Auto Theft	0	
Confessed Judgment	99	23.1	Foreclosure	20	8.8	Bastardy	15	12.4
Other Contract	139	32.4	Other	56	24.7	Burglary	2	1.6
Condemnation	9	2.1				Carnal Knowledge	0	
Habeas Corpus	4	1.0				Deadly Weapon	2	1.6
Other Law	86	20.0				Desertion	0	
						Forgery & False Pretenses	39	31.7
						Larceny, \$100 and over	27	22.0
						Larceny, Under \$100	2	1.6
						Liquor Law Violations	2	1.6
						Lottery	0	
						Manslaughter	1	.8
						Murder	4	3.2
						Non-Support	0	
						Rape	2	1.6
						Other Criminal	21	17.0

\*September Term (September 5, 1955 to November 7, 1955)

**LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES**  
**FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING**  
**IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND**  
**FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955**

**SEVENTH CIRCUIT** -27-  
 Calvert County  
 Charles County  
 Prince Georges County  
 St. Marys County

	PENDING AUGUST 31, 1955			FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING	END OF NOVEMBER	
	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals
<b>TOTAL SEVENTH CIRCUIT</b>				1201	820	381	461	280	181	740	548	192
Law				424	334	90	148	111	37	276	223	53
* Equity				325	325	0	97	97	0	228	228	0
Criminal				452	161	291	216	72	114	236	97	139
<b>CALVERT COUNTY</b>				153	55	98	77	15	62	76	40	36
Law				87	38	49	36	5	31	51	33	18
* Equity				4	4	0	3	3	0	1	1	0
Criminal				62	13	49	38	7	31	24	6	18
<b>CHARLES COUNTY</b>				87	73	14	40	35	5	47	36	11
Law				34	32	2	25	24	1	9	8	1
* Equity				22	22	0	3	3	0	19	19	0
Criminal				31	19	12	12	8	4	19	9	10
<b>PRINCE GEORGE'S COUNTY</b>				866	617	249	310	209	101	556	418	138
Law				266	228	38	69	64	5	197	164	33
* Equity				270	270	0	89	89	0	181	181	0
Criminal				330	119	211	152	56	96	178	73	105
<b>ST. MARY'S COUNTY</b>				95	75	20	34	21	13	61	54	7
Law				37	36	1	18	18	0	19	18	1
* Equity				29	29	0	2	2	0	27	27	0
Criminal				29	10	19	14	1	13	15	9	6

\* September Term (September 5, 1955 to November 7, 1955)

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

SEVENTH CIRCUIT

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Calvert County  
Charles County  
Prince George's County  
St. Mary's County

LAW - SEVENTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	*EQUITY - SEVENTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL - SEVENTH CIRCUIT	Total Cases	Percent
Kind of Case	334	100.0	Kind of Case	325	100.0 <th>Kind of Case</th> <td>161</td> <td>100.0</td>	Kind of Case	161	100.0
Motor Tort	78	23.3	Adoption	46	14.1	Assault & Assault & Robbery	19	11.8
Other Tort	10	3.1	Divorce, Nullity Maintenance	171	52.7	Auto Theft	7	4.3
Confessed Judgments	73	21.8	Foreclosure	37	11.4	Bastardy	32	19.9
Other Contract	41	12.3	Other Equity	71	21.6	Burglary	10	6.2
Condemnation	22	6.6				Carnal Knowledge	6	3.7
Habeas Corpus	11	3.3				Deadly Weapon	1	.6
Other Law	99	29.6				Forgery & False Pretenses	23	14.3
						Larceny, \$100 and over	22	13.7
						Larceny, under \$100	4	2.5
						Liquor Law Violations	3	1.9
						Lottery	5	3.1
						Manslaughter	0	
						Murder	5	3.1
						Non-Support	5	3.1
						Rape	2	1.2
						Other Criminal	17	10.6

\* September Term (September 5, 1955 through November 7, 1955)  
Of the 171 Divorce, Nullity and Maintenance cases filed, 145 (84.8%) were filed in Prince George's County.

LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY CASES  
FILED, TERMINATED AND PENDING  
IN THE  
COURTS OF BALTIMORE CITY

EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

Cases and Appeals	PENDING AUGUST 31, 1955		FILED			TERMINATED			PENDING END OF NOVEMBER		
	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals	Cases and Appeals	Cases	Appeals
TOTAL - LAW, CRIMINAL AND EQUITY COURTS OF BALTIMORE CITY			4192	3779	413	1457	1234	223	2729	2539	190
TOTAL - LAW COURTS			1575	1408	167	338	328	10	1231	1074	157
Superior			892	864	28	217	217	0	675	647	26
Common Pleas			108	100	8	16	16	0	86	78	8
Baltimore City Court			575	444	131	105	95	10	470	349	121
TOTAL - EQUITY COURTS			1221	1221	0	92	92	0	1129	1129	0
*Circuit Court			525	525	0	50	50	0	475	475	0
*Circuit Court No. 2			696	696	0	42	42	0	654	654	0
TOTAL - CRIMINAL COURT			1396	1150	246	1027	814	213	369	336	33

\* September Term (September 5, 1955 to November 7, 1955)

Of the 167 Appeals to the law courts, 96 were (a) People's Court, Baltimore City, excluding removals and 71 were (b) other appeals.

Of the 246 appeals to Criminal Court 146 were (a) traffic violations and 100 were (b) other appeals.

The Criminal Court figures include Bastardy, Non-Support and Deserion Cases by indictments only. Other domestic relations matters are reflected in the Domestic Informations Column.

For breakdown into Kind of Case, see percentage tables.

DOMESTIC INFORMATIONS

CRIMINAL COURT

Total Filed during period -	539
Open September 1, 1955 - -	418
Stets stricken out - - - -	14
Probation without verdict -	
stricken out - - - - -	4
Total - - -	975
Disposed of in court - - -	662
Open end of November - - -	513

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR CASES FILED  
IN THE COURTS OF BALTIMORE CITY

EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT

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SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 - DECEMBER 31, 1955

LAW COURTS			EQUITY **			CRIMINAL		
Kind of Case	Total Cases	Percent	CIRCUIT COURT CIRCUIT COURT No. 2	Total Cases	Percent	CRIMINAL COURT OF BALTIMORE	Total Cases	Percent
	Kind of Case	Kind of Case		Kind of Case	Kind of Case		Kind of Case	Kind of Case
Motor Tort	433	30.7	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	699	57.2	Assault & Assault & Robbery	173	15.0
Other Tort	158	11.2	Adoption	93	7.6	Auto Theft	89	7.8
Confessed Judgment	169	12.0	Foreclosure	194	15.9	Bastardy	4	.4
Other Contract	376	26.7	Other	235	19.3	Burglary	144	12.6
Condemnation	44	3.1				Carnal Knowledge	15	1.3
Habeas Corpus	33	2.3				Deadly Weapon	37	3.2
Other Law	195	14.0				Desertion*	8	.8
						Forgery & False Pretenses	140	12.2
						Larceny, \$100 and over	58	5.0
						Larceny, Under \$100	36	3.1
						Liquor Law Violations	53	4.6
						Lottery	47	4.0
						Manslaughter	3	.2
						Murder	17	1.5
						Non-Support*	4	.4
						Rape	31	2.7
						Other Criminal	291	25.2

\*The Criminal Court percentages for Bastardy, Deserion and Non-Support do not include informations, but only indictments.  
\*\*September Term - September 5, 1955 to November 7, 1955).

TRIALS HELDIN THE FIRST JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLANDFOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
TOTAL -- CIRCUIT	17	7	10	TOTAL -- CIRCUIT	4		114	12	102
Dorchester	5	4	1	Dorchester	0	Dorchester	30	6	24
Somerset	7	1	6	Somerset	1	Somerset	13	1	12
Wicomico	4	2	2	Wicomico	3	Wicomico	39	1	38
Worcester	1	0	1	Worcester	0	Worcester	32	4	28
JUDGES	17	7	10	JUDGES	4	JUDGES	114	12	102
Judge Duer				Judge Duer		Judge Duer	5	0	5
Judge Henry	5	4	1	Judge Henry		Judge Henry	30	6	24
Judge Taylor	4	2	2	Judge Taylor	3	Judge Taylor	35	2	33
Judges Duer & Taylor	8	1	7	Judges Duer & Taylor	1	Judges Duer & Taylor	40	2	38
						Judges Henry & Taylor	4	2	2

Time Averages: (From date case Filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury & Non-Jury .....	3 $\frac{1}{2}$ months
Law - Jury .....	6 months
Equity .....	2 . months

TRIALS HELDIN THE SECOND JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLANDFOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
TOTAL - CIRCUIT	15	8	7	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	10	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	110	17	93
Caroline	2	2	0	Caroline	0	Caroline	6	4	2
Cecil	3	0	3	Cecil	10	Cecil	12	3	9
Kent	9	5	4	Kent	0	Kent	10	6	4
Queen Anne's	1	1	0	Queen Anne's	0	Queen Anne's	25	3	22
Talbot	0	0	0	Talbot	0	Talbot	57	1	56
JUDGES	15	8	7	JUDGES	10	JUDGES	110	17	93
Judge Horney	10	6	4	Judge Kintner	10	Judge Carter, J.D.	51	1	50
Judge Kintner	5	2	3			Judge Horney	42	9	33
						Judge Kintner	17	7	10

Time Averages: Law - Jury &amp; Non Jury ..... 5.8 months

Law - Jury ..... 4.7 months

Equity ..... 2.3 months

TRIALS HELDIN THE THIRD JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLANDFOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>169</b>
Baltimore	47	34	13	Baltimore	45	Baltimore	144	2	142
Harford	13	7	6	Harford	1	Harford	28	1	27
<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>169</b>
Judge Barrett	22	14	8	Judge Barrett	1	Judge Barrett	90	0	90
Judge Day	14	10	4	Judge Day	1	Judge Day	28	1	27
Judge Gontrum	2	1	1	Judge Gontrum	39	Judge Gontrum	7	0	7
Judge Smith	22	16	6	Judge Smith	5	Judge Smith	43	0	43
						Judges Day & Smith	1	1	0
						Judges Smith and Barrett	3	1	2

Time Averages: (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury &amp; Non-Jury ..... 14.4 months

Law - Jury ..... 13.7 months

Equity ..... 9.7 months

TRIALS HELD

IN THE FOURTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
TOTAL -- CIRCUIT	13	13	0	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	33	TOTAL -- CIRCUIT	59	13	46
Allegany	4	4	0	Allegany	0	Allegany	19	4	15
Garrett	5	5	0	Garrett	3	Garrett	17	6	11
Washington	4	4	0	Washington	30	Washington	23	3	20
JUDGES	13	13	0	JUDGES	33	JUDGES	59	13	46
Judge Fraley	5	5	0	Judge Fraley	3	Judge Fraley	17	6	11
Judge Harris	2	2	0	Judge Harris	0	Judge Harris	12	1	11
Judge Henderson	2	2	0	Judge Henderson	0	Judge Henderson	7	3	4
Judge McLaughlin	4	4	0	Judge McLaughlin	30	Judge McLaughlin	23	3	20

Time Averages: (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury & Non-Jury ..... 8.6 months

Law - Jury ..... 8.6 months

Equity ..... 4.3 months

TRIALS HELD

IN THE FIFTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
TOTAL - CIRCUIT	37	16	21	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	47	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	94	9	85
Anne Arundel	17	6	11	Anne Arundel	19	Anne Arundel	59	5	54
Carroll	7	4	3	Carroll	14	Carroll	1	0	1
Howard	13	6	7	Howard	14	Howard	34	4	30
JUDGES	37	16	21	JUDGES	47	JUDGES	94	9	85
Judge Boylan	4	4	0	Judge Boylan	12	Judge Boylan	1	0	1
Judge Macgill	18	6	12	Judge Macgill	27	Judge Maogill	34	4	30
Judge Michaelson	15	6	9	Judge Michaelson	8	Judge Michaelson	59	5	54

Time Averages (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury & Non-Jury ..... 9 months  
Law - Jury ..... 8.6 months  
Equity ..... 6.4 months

TRIALS HELD

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IN THE SIXTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLANDFOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
TOTAL - CIRCUIT	43	20	23	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	3	TOTAL - CIRCUIT	65	6	59
Frederick	15	5	10	Frederick	0	Frederick	46	1	45
Montgomery	28	15	13	Montgomery	3	Montgomery	19	5	14
JUDGES	43	20	23	JUDGES	3	JUDGES	65	6	59
Judge Anderson	4	4	0	Judge Anderson	1	Judge Anderson	9	2	7
Judge Lawlor	14	6	8	Judge Lawlor	1	Judge Lawlor	2	1	1
Judge Prescott	10	5	5	Judge Prescott	1	Judge Prescott	1	1	0
Judge Schnauffer	15	5	10			Judge Schnauffer	40	0	40
						Judges Anderson and Lawlor	8	0	8
						Judges Anderson and Schnauffer	2	0	2
						Judges Prescott and Lawlor	1	1	0
						Judges Prescott and Schnauffer	2	1	1

Time Averages: (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury &amp; Non-Jury ..... 9 months

Law - Jury ..... 12 months

Equity ..... 12.6 months

TRIALS HELD

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IN THE SEVENTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND

FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total all Trials	CRIMINAL	Total all Trials	Jury	Non- Jury
<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>TOTAL - CIRCUIT</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>143</b>
Calvert	7	6	1	Calvert	3	Calvert	21	3	18
Charles	9	4	5	Charles	3	Charles	18	0	18
Prince George's	69	55	14	Prince George's	49	Prince George's	128	22	106
St. Mary's	0	0	0	St. Mary's	2	St. Mary's	1	0	1
<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>JUDGES</b>	<b>168</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>143</b>
Judge Digges	14	9	5	Judge Digges	7	Judge Digges	59	5	54
Judge Gray	26	17	9	Judge Gray	8	Judge Gray	53	4	49
Judge Fletcher	14	12	2	Judge Fletcher	24	Judge Fletcher	27	5	22
Marbury	31	27	4	Judge Marbury	19	Judge Marbury	29	11	18

Time Averages: (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury and Non-Jury ..... 8.2 months  
 Law - Jury ..... 8.6 months  
 Equity ..... 2.4 months

TRIALS HELD

IN THE COURTS OF BALTIMORE CITY  
EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT OF MARYLAND  
FOR PERIOD COVERING SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 THROUGH NOVEMBER 30, 1955

LAW	Total Law Courts	Jury	Non- Jury	EQUITY	Total Equity Courts	CRIMINAL	Total Criminal Court	Jury	Non- Jury
	794	184	610		126		1933	22	1911
Superior	340	96	244	Circuit Court	27	Criminal Court of Baltimore	1933	22	1911
Common Pleas	76	35	41	Circuit Court No. 2	99				
Baltimore City Court	378	53	325						
JUDGES	794	184	610	JUDGES	126	JUDGES	1933	22	1911
Judge Carter	133	29	104	Judge Carter	1	Judge Byrnes	373	6	367
Judge Cullen	2	0	2	Judge Cullen	95	Judge Carter	97	0	97
Judge Manley	192	1	191	Judge Oppenheimer	27	Judge Cullen	63	0	63
Judge Mason	72	43	29	Judge Mason	1	Judge Manley	2	0	2
Judge Moser	1	0	1	Judge Niles	2	Judge Moser	744	0	744
Judge Mundy	72	33	39			Judge Mundy	9	0	9
Judge Nice	174	0	174			Judge Nice	103	0	103
Judge Niles	74	39	35			Judge Niles	16	0	16
Judge Oppenheimer	19	0	19			Judge Tucker	525	16	509
Judge Warnken	55	39	16			Judge Warnken	1	0	1

Time Averages: (From date case filed to date of Trial)

Law - Jury & Non-Jury ..... 17 months  
 Law - Non-Jury ..... 15 months

Law - Jury ..... 23 months  
 Equity - All cases ..... 6.5 months  
 Approximate for Criminal Court ..... 16 days

PERCENTAGE DISTRIBUTION TABLE FOR TRIALS HELD  
IN THE LAW AND EQUITY COURTS OF MARYLAND  
SEPTEMBER 1, 1955 - NOVEMBER 30, 1955

EIGHTH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT — BALTIMORE CITY

LAW	Total Trials	Percent	EQUITY	Total Trials	Percent
Kind of Case	794	100.0	Kind of Case	126	100.0
Motor Tort	345	43.5	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	80	63.5
Other Tort	68	8.5	Adoption	2	1.5
Condemnation	6	.7	Foreclosure	1	.8
Contract	238	30.0	Other	43	34.2
Other	137	17.3			

FIRST THROUGH SEVENTH CIRCUITS — COUNTIES OF MARYLAND

LAW	Total Trials	Percent	EQUITY	Total Trials	Percent
Kind of Case	270	100.0	Kind of Case	201	100.0
Motor Tort	80	29.6	Divorce, Nullity, Maintenance	57	28.3
Other Tort	31	11.5	Adoption	60	29.9
Condemnation	34	12.6	Foreclosure	3	1.5
Contract	65	24.1	Other	81	40.3
Other	60	22.2			

Of the 80 Motor Tort Cases, 39% were tried in the Third Judicial Circuit, and 32% in the Seventh Judicial Circuit.  
The Fifth Judicial Circuit tried 56% of the Divorce, Nullity and Maintenance Cases and Prince George's County,  
(Seventh Circuit) heard 50% of the 60 Adoption Cases.

JUVENILE CAUSES  
PENDING AND FILED IN THE  
EIGHT JUDICIAL CIRCUITS OF MARYLAND

	EIGHTH CIRCUIT - BALTIMORE CITY				FIRST THROUGH SEVENTH CIRCUITS - COUNTIES			
	Totals	Delinquency	Dependent & Neglected	Adult	Totals	Delinquency	Dependent & Neglected	Adult
Total Pending end of August and Filed during this Period	1752	1069	550	133	683	439	189	55
a. Not apprehended or not ready for hearing	26	21	2	3				
b. Pending and ready for hearing	371	188	161	22	39	21	6	12
c. Petitions filed during period	1355	860	387	108	644	418	183	43
<b>TOTAL CASES CONCLUDED</b>	<b>1119</b>	<b>798</b>	<b>263</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>550</b>	<b>409</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>20</b>
a. Jurisdiction Waived	4	4	0	0	33	32	0	1
b. Charge not sustained - not guilty	304	200	77	27	64	47	10	7
c. Charge sustained - dismissed with warning	214	191	23	0	33	25	8	0
d. Probation	218	211	0	7	205	186	18	1
e. Institutional Commitment	145	139	6	0	106	84	17	5
f. Commitment to public or private agency	210	53	157	0	100	35	65	0
g. Other Conclusions	0	0	0	0	3	0	3	
h. Fined	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	1
i. Sentence suspended	15	0	0	15	2	0	0	2
j. Sentenced	8	0	0	8	3	0	0	3
<b>Total Pending End of Period</b>	<b>633</b>	<b>271</b>	<b>287</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>133</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>35</b>

Of the 644 cases filed in the Counties, 50.2% (324 cases) were filed in Baltimore County, 10.9% (70 cases) in Anne Arundel County. In the following counties Juvenile cases are handled at the trial magistrate level: Allegany, Prince George's, Montgomery and Washington. In Garrett County, the trial magistrate has concurrent jurisdiction with the circuit courts.

Nature of Causes	Percentage Distribution Table of Causes Filed	
	Total	Percent
Dependence	1999	100.0
Delinquency	1278	63.9
Dependent & Neglected	570	28.5
Adult	151	7.6